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Applicants: Eduardo J. Baralt, et al. §
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For: Oligomerization of Alpha Olefins in the § Confirmation No. 4378
Presence of Carboxylic Acids §

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PETITION AND FEE FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Commissioner:

Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time to May 29, 2003, to respond to the Office Action dated January 29, 2003. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$110.00 for the Petition fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1515, Conley Rose, P.C.. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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